

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of  
**Bono-Combie et al**

Examiner: **BALLS, Robert J**

Art Unit: **1625**

Application No.: **10/773,073**

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Title: **USE OF 4-SUBSTITUTED  
TETRAHYDROPYPRIDIENES FOR  
MAKING MEDICINES ACTING ON  
TGF- $\beta$ 1**

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sirs,

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed April 19, 2006, in connection with the above-identified application, the time to respond to which has been extended three months making the due date for response, October 19, 2006 by the accompanying petition and payment of the appropriate fee.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on **page 2** of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on **page 3** of this paper.